

Biogen Specific Teaching Material

Cleaning and Disinfection – Cleaning





Questions & Answers

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1. Briefly explain the distinction between the three (3) common types of cleaning.

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1. The first type of cleaning ('clean') does not eliminate most infectious microorganisms, disinfecting and sterilizing; the second ('disinfect') involves using chemical products that kill potentially infectious microorganisms as well as some types of spores; the third type ('sterilise' means using heat or steam, which destroys microorganisms, spores and viruses.

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2. How often should walls and ceilings be vacuumed?

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2. Walls and ceilings are to be vacuumed daily.

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3. For which areas is the use of DI water used for cleaning?

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3. Surfaces, floors, walls, and benches.

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4. Should we ask permission to change the clean-room sticky-mats?

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4. No, clean-room sticky-mats may be replaced, if necessary, without hesitation.

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5. Which cleaning materials and products should never be used in the clean-room?

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5. Scrubs, rags, and powders should never be used for clean-room use.

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6. For which area or items are 70% IPA wipes used?

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6. The IPA wipes are used for cleaning windows and clean-room pass-throughs.

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7. Overhang lights and fixtures need be wiped down daily (true of false?)

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7. False. Overhang lights and fixtures need be wiped down weekly.

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8. All daily cleanings including floors may be performed only during the day.

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8. False. Floor-cleaning is not performed during regular work shifts.

9. What is water that has been evaporated and re-condensed called?

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9. It is called distilled water (and is not the same as DI water).

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10. Which type of water is not prohibited for use in the clean-room?

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10. DI water is allowed in the clean-room.

Thank you for your attention!

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